Part I Dialogue (Items 1-10)

Situation: An appointment. The time is a quarter to eleven.

Choose the best answer for each blank. (Items 1-7)

A: Hello! Rather luck running into you. I tried to get you on the phone at your office, but you weren’t there.
B: ....1....
A: Oh, about half an hour ago.
B: Oh, yes ....2.... Did you want me for something special ?
A: Are you doing anything in particular this evening ?
B: ....3....
A: Well, the point is this. I had a line from David this morning. He said he could see me tomorrow, and I thought it might be as well if we went over the points again to see that I’ve got it all straight.
B: All right. ....4....
A: No, I’d rather you came to me .....5..... I may be wanted on the phone.
B: All right. what time ?
A: Will you come and have something to eat ?
B: I think ....6.... I’ve told Mary to be in.
A: Any time you like, then ....7....
6. It's no good.
3. that's a good idea.
7. Please come again.
3. See you later.
2. I'd better not.
4. It's a pleasure.
2. Please come at noon.
4. Hope to see you again.

Suppose B were not in and it was his brother who answered the call, what would the conversation go? (Items 8-10)

Voice : Hello! 2514732
A : Hello! This is Anek. May I have a word with B?
Voice : ....8....
A : Right.
Voice : ....9....
A : Could you tell him Anek rang?
Voice : ....10....

8. Here you are.
3. Hold the line please.
9. I'm afraid he's not in.
3. What could I do for you?
10. You're welcome.
3. I think so, thanks.
2. B's speaking
4. Sorry, the line was busy.
2. Wait a minute. He's coming.
4. Right now?
2. I'd be all right.
4. I'd be glad to.

Part II Reading (Items 11-32)
A. There extracts are from "Self-Defence Manual". Look at the pictures and match each of them with its corresponding advice. (Item 11-14)
11. First action-chin down so you can breathe. Next, in order to release his fingers from your throat, slide your hands along to his fingers (little fingers probably), and yank them back as hard as you can. The pain will force him to loosen his grip giving you the opportunity to scream, deliver a good kick to the leg, or run preferably all three.

12. If attacked from the rear, a well-delivered blow with the elbow can be most effective. Take on hand, palm up, in the other and turning sideway, deliver a blow with the full force of your whole body behind it-not just your elbow.

13. If grabbed by the hair then your first reaction should be to press your hands on top of the attacker's. Hold his and (and your hair) tightly against the head. This stop the pain and allow your time to oppose the attacker's action. At the same time duck your head down and pivot round toward him and jark your head up sharply this twists his wrist and puts you in a better position to make good use of your foot.

14. A sudden yell and series of screams into the attacker's face will cause him to pull back at least momentarily. This is your opportunity to quickly get away.

B. Below is a poem with 6 stanzas composed by Isabel M. Laird. Read it carefully and choose the best answer for each item. (Items 15-20)

WINDS

There's a wind that blows over summer days,
And the clouds go chasing, chasing.

There's a wind that blows over wintry ways,
And the rains come racing, racing.

There's a wind that blows over midnight hours,
And the stars keep blinking, blinking.

There's a wind that blows over morning flowers,
And the dew lies winking, winking.

There's a wind that blows over city mills,
And the smokes go hurrying after.

There's a wind that blows over grassy hills,
And the children dance to its laughter.

15. The first stanza is about summer. What is the second stanza about?
1. spring  2. winter  3. autumn  4. rains

16. What does the winter wind bring?
1. blows  2. smokes  3. rains  4. clouds
17. Which word rhymes with hours?
   1. midnight  2. flowers  3. over  4. blows

18. Which stanza gives a picture of dirt and grime?
   1. 3  2. 4  3. 5  4. 6

19. In which stanza is there the description of a very strong wind?
   1. 1  2. 2  3. 5  4. 6

20. Which line gives the happiest feeling?
   1. 4  2. 6  3. 8  4. 12

C. Read this information and choose the correct answer for each item. (Item 21-22)

Half a dozen boxes have six pencils in each and another box has four.
The teacher wants to give everybody in a class of fifty one pencil each.

21. How many boxes are there altogether?
   1. four  2. six  3. seven  4. twelve

22. Does the teacher have enough pencils for his students?
   1. Yes. The number of the pencils is equal to the number of the students.
   2. Yes, and the teacher still has 2 pencils left for himself.
   3. No. The teacher has to send for 10 more pencils.
   4. No, Two more pencils have to be sent for.

D. Read this news and choose the correct answer for each item. (Item 23-24)

Two cars rammed into each other and exploded after one car tried to overtake on a
 twisting road Sunday.

All five passengers in one car and two of the five passengers in the other died
 instantly. An eighth victim died in hospital. All were about 20 years old.

A case of beer was found in the wreckage, witnesses said.

23. What’s the news about?
   1. beer found in cars.  2. car collision.
   3. death at twenty.  4. drunken passengers.

24. How many passengers died in hospital?
E. Choose the best answer. (Items 25-28)

25. If the palm of one hand itches, either good or bad luck will ensue, according to which hand is affected.

26. NAKHON RATCHASIMA
Almost widespread showers, possibly with thunder, minimum temperature 23°C (73°F), maximum temperature 30°C (86°F)

27. Capricorn
Dec 22 - Jan 19
You'll be dealing with another Capricorn who is sincere but could be misinformed. Check references, be aware of latest source material. Short trip likely to be part of dynamic scenario.

28. This extract shows ...................
1. congratulation.  2. superstition.
3. distinction.    4. destination.

This extract is from a .......... report.
1. weather        2. climate
3. forecast       4. temperature

This extract is a ..............
1. telescope       2. suggestion
3. horoscope       4. lucky teller

This picture shows an ..............
1. application     2. advertisement
3. announcement   4. appointment

29. Which of the following sentences does not make sense?
   1. He got a puncture on the four wheels of his motorcycle.
   2. His father is a millionaire, so he can buy everything he wants.
   3. Frogs make a great deal of noise in the rainy season.
   4. That mine skirt costs a pretty penny.

30. Two of the following sentences have more words than needed, (i.e. there are words of the same meaning in one sentence), which are they?
   A. Now and again we occasionally visit the circus.
   B. As a rule Dick is usually late.
   C. A tame bat took flies out of Jim's hand.
   D. Penny is far more intelligent than her brother.


31. Which is the correct pronunciation of the word telegraphy?
   1. TE-ography   2. te-LE-ography   3. tele-GRA-phy   4. telegra-PHY
32. In which word does h have a vowel sound?  
1. honey  
2. hammer  
3. honest  
4. hinder

**Part III Structure (Items 33-42)**

**A. Choose the correct answer for each item. (Items 35-37)**

33. I don't think that's a good idea, ........ ?
   1. is it  
   2. do I  
   3. isn't it  
   4. isn't that

34. ........ try one more step, and you will succeed.
   1. you will  
   2. If  
   3. When  
   4. No word is needed

35. It ........ a lot when I left home the other day.
   1. has been raining  
   2. was rained  
   3. was raining  
   4. is raining

36. ........ a lovely country ........ !
   1. How ........ it is  
   2. What ........ it is  
   3. How ........ is it  
   4. What ........ is it

37. ........ the camera ........ ?
   1. Does ........ John's  
   2. Is ........ John  
   3. Is ........ belong to John  
   4. Is ........ John's

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**B. From the 4 underlined parts in every two lines, find the one that is grammatically wrong. (Items 38-42)**

38. Daniel is a sixteen-year-old junior in a high school. His parents are rich farmers and they want him to take interest in farming. But he is interesting.
   1.   
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

39. in physics and baseball. He is a good student, but he finds time goes to the
   1.   
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

40. good at singing but he is never seen many of the things his parents grew up
   1.   
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

   with. He has no idea how rice is cooked and what lemons are. Vegetables and
   1.   
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

41. fruits, and other parts of their meals are brought home from the supermarket
   1.   
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

   in bags and packages. He wouldn't know the difference among pork and veal.
   1.   
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

42. He does not even seem to know what one does in the kitchen. His parents are
   1.   
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

   always little shocked to realize these facts and they try hard to give him
   2.   
   3.   
   4.

   a wider knowledge of what was done by his parents and grandparents.
Part IV Composition (Items 43-50)

Read these two pieces of advice and do as directed.

How to cross the roads in safety.

Fill in each blank with the correct group of words. (items 43-46)

Before you cross the road, stop, ....43.... and right again; then ....44.... right angles. ....45.... look out all the time. ....46.... on one-way traffic roads.

43. 1. look left, right 2. look right, left 3. look both ways 4. turn right, left
44. 1. cross at 2. look for 3. walk straight 4. turn to
46. 1. Be specially alert 2. Walk quickly 3. Count your steps 4. Don't try to cross

A handy hint for your home safety.

Re-arrange the following sentences in their good order. Choose your answers from the alternatives given below.

47. A. But not within any reach of would-be burglars.
   B. If key-operated locks are installed,
   C. They are best kept nearby for any emergency,
   D. When the window is broken, the lock could then be simply undone
   E. don’t leave keys in the lock.

48. Re-arrange the following sentences to make a sensible story. Choose your answers from the alternatives given below.

THE TROJAN HORSE

A : The Greeks in the ship saw the fire and sailed quietly back.
B : During the night, when the Trojans were asleep, the hidden door of the horse opened.
C : Quickly they landed and rushed into troy.
D : Out crept the Greek soldiers.
E : They Killed the sentries who guarded the city, opened the gates, and lit a fire on the shore.

Which group of letters shows the correct order of the words that make a meaningful sentences ?

49. A. the other day B. his car C. the manager
    D. washed E. had
50. A. most  B. the lion  C. of the other animals
   D. is stronger than